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Title: "RETAINING RING WITH TRIGGER FOR CHEMICAL MECHANICAL
POLISHING APPARATUS."

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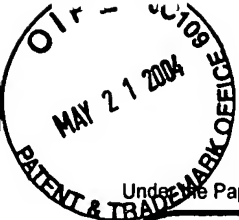
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May 15, 2004


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Filing Date	June 27, 2003
First Named Inventor	Peter Khun
Title	Retaining Ring with Trigger for Chemical Mechanical Polishing Apparatus
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